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Education

2010 Endicott College, M Ed, Beverly, MA
1979 Vanderbilt University, BA, Nashville, TN

Educator Licensure

2011 Massachusetts Certification and Academic License, Visual Art, PreK-12

Awards

2019 **Outstanding Achievement Award**, Evanston Art & Big Fork Festival, Amy Amdur, Amdur Productions

Award of Merit, Co|So Artists' Small Works: "Fruition", Copley Society, Boston, MA

2017 **Award of Merit**, Co|So Artists: Holiday Small Works, Copley Society, Boston, MA
Outstanding Achievement Award, Evanston Art & Big Fork Festival, Amy Amdur, Amdur Productions

2015 **Award of Merit**, Co|So Artists' Small Works: "Change-Up", Copley Society, Boston, MA

2014 **President's Purchase Award**, 35th Annual Mini-Works on Paper, Scott Angus, juror, Jacksonville State University, Jacksonville, AL

2013 **Award of Merit**, Co|So Artists' Small Works: "Coalesce", Boston, MA

First Prize and **Recollected Books Purchase Award**, 34th Annual Mini-Works on Paper, Mary Ann Sampson, juror, Jacksonville State University, AL

Award of Merit, Co|So Artists' Small Works: "Sterling", Copley Society, Boston, MA

2012 **Juror's Choice: Second Place Award**, "Distant Shores", Russ Kramer, juror, Copley Society Marine Art Show, Boston, MA

Best of Show, Marblehead Festival of Arts, Mixed Media, Marblehead, MA

Best of Show, "On or Of Paper", Stacy Thomas-Vickory, juror, Lynn Arts, Lynn, MA

2011 **Edward D. Carey Award**, Marblehead Festival of Arts, Painting exhibit, Marblehead, MA

Best of Show, Marblehead Festival of Arts, Mixed Media, Marblehead, MA.

Honorable Mention Award, “Capturing Time”, Ron DiRito, juror, Lynn Arts, Lynn, MA

2009 **Honorable Mention Award**, “Regional Show”, Marblehead Arts Association, Marblehead, MA

2005 **Canson Award**, 29th International Exhibition, Northeast Watercolor Society, Kent, CT

Honorable Mention Award, “The Big Show”, Marblehead Arts Association, Marblehead, MA

Solo Exhibitions

2021 “New Pastel Paintings”, North Shore Art League, Winnetka, IL

2016 “Miniature Moments”, Copley Society of Art, Boston, MA

2014 “Works on Paper”, North Shore Art League, Winnetka, IL

2012 “Lands, Far and Near”, Brush Strokes Gallery, Marblehead, MA
“Pathways to Healing” at Marblehead Natural Healing, Marblehead, MA

2011 “Pathways and Transition”, Willow Community Gallery, Lynn, MA

2008 “Tranquility East, Aberjona River Gallery, Winchester, MA

2007 “Retrospective: At Peace”, The Art Corner, Salem, MA
“Lotus to Landscape”, Virginia Carten Gallery, Marblehead, MA

2006 “A Year of New England”, Atrium Gallery, Boston Courthouse, MA

2005 “Lunar Landscapes”, The Gallery at Grosvenor Park, Salem, MA
“Trees and Nature”, Harbor Park Gallery, Boston Courthouse, MA

2003 “Visual Harmony”, Parlor Gallery, Marblehead, MA

Selected Group Exhibitions

2021 "Reflections in Pastel", Arkansas Pastel Society 9th National Exhibition, Karen Margulis, juror, ACANSA Gallery, North Little Rock, AR

Pastels Chicago 2021, Chicago Pastel Painters Eighth Biennial National Juried Open Exhibition, Yael Maimon, juror, McCord Gallery, Palos Park, IL.

"Pure Color", 5th Annual ONLINE International Juried Exhibition of Pastel Paintings, Isabelle Lim, juror, Pastel Society of North Carolina.

SMALL WORKS Members Exhibition, Barbara Jaenicke, juror, J Petter Gallery, Great Lakes Pastel Society, Douglas, MI

2020 "IMAGINE.. Peace, Love, & Understanding", Stola Contemporary Art, Chicago, IL

"Summer Reflections", juried show, Copley Society of Art, Boston, MA

"The Sum of the Parts", Fused Chicago at North Central College, Naperville, IL
Faculty Exhibition, Evanston Art Center, Evanston, IL

2019 "Fayum 21", Fused Chicago at Union Street Gallery, Chicago Heights, IL

"Variations in Wax", Fused Chicago at RMU State Street Gallery, Chicago, IL

"Painting with Fire", Fused Chicago at Zhou B Art Center, Chicago, IL

Co|So Artists' Small Works: Fruition, Boston, MA

2018 "Waxing Poetic", North Shore Art League, Winnetka, IL

"Anchors Aweigh", Carey Vose, juror, Summer Members Show, Copley Society, Boston, MA

"Cultivation", Vincent Uribe, art director, OPEN gallery, Arts of Life North Shore studio, Glenview, IL

Faculty Exhibition, Evanston Art Center, Evanston, IL

2017 Winter Salon Show, Chicago Art Source Gallery, Chicago, IL

"IT FIGURES, 2017!", ARC Gallery, Chicago, IL

"Imagine Denmark", Jorgen Soes Hejlsvig, juror, Kunstvaerket Galleri, Vitapark, Odder, Denmark

"Wax Stories II", Patricia Aaron, juror, Knoll Gallery, Denver, CO

2016 "Copley on the Cape", Paula Daher, juror, Cultural Center of Cape Cod, South Yarmouth, MA

"Out in the Cold", Michael David, juror, Winter Members' Show, Copley Society,

Boston, MA

Faculty Art Exhibition, Evanston Art Center, Evanston, IL

2015 Holiday Salon Show, Chicago Art Source Gallery, Chicago, IL

Aqua Art Miami: Suite 116, Helen Hyder, juror, Frank Hyder, juror, Projects Gallery, Miami, FLA

Co|So Artists' Small Works: "Change-Up", Copley Society, Boston, MA

"Real People 2015", NAAC, Old Courthouse Arts Center, Woodstock, IL

"As Expected", Richard Baiano, juror, Stephanie Bond, juror, Copley Society, Summer Members' Show, Boston, MA

36th Annual Mini-Works on Paper, Rebecca Woods, juror, Jacksonville State University, Jacksonville, AL

57th Mid-States Art Exhibition, Ephraim Rubenstein, juror, Evansville Museum of Arts, History and Science, Evansville, IN

2014 "The Devil in the Straight Line", Henning Haupt, juror, IEA International Juried Show, Audrey Love Gallery, Bakehouse Art Center, Miami, FL

"Real People 2014", Tina Engels, juror, William Lieberman, juror, Kelly Stachura, juror, NAAC, Old Courthouse Arts Center, Woodstock, IL

"Unbound(ed)", Kathleen Waterloo, juror, Kathy Roman, juror, Morpho Gallery, Chicago, IL

35th Annual Mini-Works on Paper, Scott Angus, juror, Jacksonville State University, Jacksonville, AL

"Encaustic Nature in Art", Jenny Learner, juror, TAC, Highland Park, IL

"Winter Visions", Hope Turner, juror, and Zola Solamente, juror, Copley Society, Winter Members' Show, Boston, MA

New Works by Gallery Artists, Chicago Art Source Gallery, Chicago, IL

2013 "The Sound of Color", Howard Yezerski, juror, Copley Society Fall Members' Show, Boston, MA

"Inspired by the Modernists", Judith Tolnik Champa, juror, Copley Society Summer Members' Show, Boston, MA

Co|So Artists' Small Works: "Coalesce", Boston, MA

"Community of Artists", Katherine French, juror, Danforth Museum, Framingham, MA

34th Annual Mini-Works on Paper, Mary Ann Sampson, juror, Jacksonville State University, AL

36th Harper College National Art Exhibition featuring Small Works, Staci Boris, juror,

Palatine, IL

“Elemental”, Kaveh Mojtabai, juror, Copley Society Winter Members’ Show, Boston, MA

2012 “Distant Shores”, Russ Kramer, juror, Copley Society Marine Show, Boston, MA
Marblehead Festival of Arts, Mixed Media exhibit, Marblehead, MA

“From the Garden”, Gallery Della-Piana, Wenham, MA

“Zero to Ninety: the MAA Open”, Rob Roy, juror, Marblehead Arts Association, New England Juried Exhibit, Marblehead, MA

“Impressions”, David Brown, juror, and Miriam Stewart, juror, Copley Society Winter Member’s Show, Boston, MA

“On or Of Paper”, Stacy Thomas-Vickory, juror, Lynn Arts, Lynn, MA
New Member’s Show, Copley Society of Art, Boston, MA

2011 “Just Add Water”, Jane Winchell, museum curator, PEM Compliment Show, Salem, MA

New England Watercolor Society, Nava Grunfeld, juror, Westfield State Gallery, Westfield, MA

Marblehead Festival of Arts, Painting exhibit, Marblehead, MA

Marblehead Festival of Arts, Mixed Media exhibit, Marblehead, MA

Northeast Prize Show, Theodore Stebbins, juror, Cambridge Art Association, Cambridge, MA

“Capturing Time”, Ron DiRito, juror, Lynn Arts, Lynn, MA

2010 Member’s Prize Show, Arthur Dion, juror, Cambridge Art Assoc, Cambridge, MA.

“3rd Dimension”, Wyona Lynch-McWhite, juror, Cambridge Art Assoc, Cambridge, MA

“Mixed Media 2010”, Joanne Mattera, juror, Lynn Arts, Lynn, MA

Teaching Experience

2015 - *current* Evanston Art Center, Evanston, IL

2014 - *current* North Shore Art League, Winnetka, IL

2006 - 2013 Montserrat College of Art, Beverly, MA

Permanent Collections

Children’s Hospital, Boston, MA

Newton - Wellesley Hospital, Wellesley, MA

Private Collections throughout New England, the Midwest, and U.S.

Membership

Copley Artist, Copley Society of Art

Chicago Pastel Painters

Pastel Society of America